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# **SOMETHING DIFFERENT IN PLANTS**

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Do you know that there is quality in plants the same as any other merchandise. If you are a merchant whose trade appreciates the best, Dodge's Famous brand hand selected uniform pencil size and larger onion plants are just what you have been looking for. For 20 years wherever plants are sold Dodge's famous brand plants are known as, "THE BEST PLANTS GROWN IN TEXAS".

We have built up our business on quality and not on price. We feel sure that if we can get you to try one small shipment of our Famous brand plants that you will be a Dodge customer too. Send that order today, see the plants, sell them in competition with the small field run plants and see if they don't please your customers better and make you more money. Thousands of merchants all over the United States have built up a plant business that increases every year by selling Dodge's famous brand of selected plants, which proves that it always pays to pay a little more and get the best.

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## **Dodge Plant Farms**

### **Raymondville, Texas**

**BIG FRESH GREEN HAND SELECTED UNIFORM SIZE  
PLANTS DIRECT FROM GROWER TO YOU**

# WHOLESALE PRICE LIST OF Famous Brand Plants

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We have never had any ambition to be known as the largest plant growers in the world, but we do want to be known as the growers of the best plants grown in Texas. We believe that the ordinary little 6,000 to the crate commercial onion plants are too small for best results and we do not pack them.

We do no field packing of field run plants. Our onion plants are hauled from the fields in bulk to our packing sheds and put over grading tables. All small plants are discarded. The larger plants are hand selected and graded into bunches of uniform size plants for the different sizes we pack. Our crates are one-third larger than the usual crates and you will find our smaller size (6000 to the crate) something entirely different from the ordinary little commercial 6000 size plants.

We stamp on each crate of plants we ship the actual number of plants in the crate. When you buy plants from us you get exactly what you pay for. Every year hundreds of truck loads of onion plants are hauled out of this county packed in crates containing 60 bunches to the crate, 50 plants to the bunch, a total of 3,000 plants. Many merchants buy these plants thinking they are getting crates of 6,000 plants. We do not sell plants to trucks, to do so would be unfair to the merchant who handles our plants and receives his plants from us by express.

Ordinary onion plants are grown in seed beds, 20 to 30 pounds of seed to the acre and grown under irrigation. Dodge's Famous Brand Onion Plants are grown in the open fields without irrigation, 6 pounds of seed to the acre. By this method we produce stronger, sturdier, better rooted plants than can be grown by other methods of growing. We ask you for your plant business on the basis of quality and not on price. These extra quality plants cost more to grow, select and pack but are the cheapest plants on the market, value considered. They cost you a little more to buy, but will increase your plant business and make you more money and your customers will come back for them every year.

All prices quoted are net, no discounts, F. O. B. RAYMONDVILLE, TEXAS.

Prices quoted are for not less than crate lots of one variety. For mixed crates add 5c per thousand plants.

We especially recommend our larger plants to you, as they are stronger, sturdier plants from our earliest planted fields. They will make a mature crop earlier and stand more unfavorable weather. The 1000 and 1200 to crate onion plants are tied 20 to the bunch, other sizes 100 to the bunch; cabbage, tomato, and other plants 50 to the bunch.

We can supply our Famous Brand Onion Plants in the following varieties: Crystal Wax Bermuda, Yellow Bermuda, Sweet Spanish Valencia Riverside Strain, Improved Denia and Giant Prizetaker.

Famous Brand Onion Plants Packing 1,000 to Crate, per crate.....	\$1.00
Famous Brand Onion Plants Packing 1,200 to Crate, per crate.....	1.25
Famous Brand Onion Plants Packing 2,000 to Crate, per crate.....	1.60
Famous Brand Onion Plants Packing 2,500 to Crate, per crate .....	1.75
Famous Brand Onion Plants Packing 3,000 to Crate, per crate.....	1.95
Famous Brand Onion Plants Packing 3,400 to Crate, per crate.....	2.20
Famous Brand Onion Plants Packing 4,000 to Crate, per crate.....	2.40
Famous Brand Onion Plants Packing 5,000 to Crate, per crate.....	2.75
Famous Brand Onion Plants Packing 6,000 to Crate, per crate.....	3.00

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Famous Brand Cabbage Plants are large Field grown, frost proof plants. We can supply the following varieties: Jersey Wakefield, Charleston Wakefield, Stein's Early Flat Dutch, All Head Early, Copenhagen and Golden Acre.

Famous Brand Cabbage Plants Packing 1,000 to Crate, per crate.....	\$1.00
Famous Brand Cabbage Plants Packing 1,500 to Crate, per crate.....	1.35
Famous Brand Cabbage Plants Packing 2,000 to Crate, per crate.....	1.50
Famous Brand Cabbage Plants Packing 2,500 to Crate, per crate.....	1.85

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**TOMATO PLANTS READY March 1**—Our tomato plants are large, stocky, open field grown, 8 to 12 inch plants. We can supply the following varieties: Break O'Day, Earliana, McGee, June Pink, Bonny Best, Chalk's Early Jewel, John Baer, Marglobe, Improved Stone, Dwarf Champion, Gulf States, Baltimore and Pritchard.

Any Variety, 500, 75c; 1,000, \$1.10; 5,000 or over..... \$1.00 per 1,000

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**Ready March 15.**—California Wonder Sweet Peppers, Anaheim Chile Hot Peppers, Long Red Cayene Hot Peppers and Black Beauty Egg Plants. Large Stocky, field grown, 8 to 12 inch plants—

Any Variety, 500, \$1.00; 1,000, \$1.60; 5,000 or over..... \$1.50 per 1,000

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## **RAYMONDVILLE, TEXAS**

### **The Most Southern Plant Farms in the United States**

THE DODGE PLANT FARMS are located in the Lower RIO GRANDE VALLEY, The Southern tip of Texas, which is also the most southern point in the United States. Temperatures are mild here and we are able to grow our plants in the open fields without protection and have big field grown plants ready to go earlier than from any other point in the United States. Our first plantings of cabbage and onion seed are made in October, first plantings of egg plant, tomato and pepper seed are made in December. Plantings of all continue until in April, insuring a supply of plants of all sizes and varieties until the end of the shipping season. We can usually supply big field grown tomato plants for setting direct in the field as early as it is safe to set them out in east Texas and from plantings made weekly we are able to supply these big plants in all varieties until June 1.

We use one standard size of crate which is one third larger than the usual plant crate for packing all sizes of onion and cabbage plants. Our 6,000 size onion plants average pencil size, other sizes are larger plants. Most of our customers of years standing find the 3,000 and 4,000 sizes in our onion plants and the 1,500 and 2,000 sizes in cabbage plants the most popular sizes, as these larger plants will stand severe weather and unfavorable growing conditions better than smaller plants.

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